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PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES:	Board of Massage and Bodywork
MEETING DATE AND TIME:	Thursday, March 21, 2019, 1:30pm
PLACE:	861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware Conference Room B, Second Floor, Cannon Building
MINUTES APPROVED:	

MEMBERS PRESENT

Danielle DiFonzo, President
Jermaine Cannon, Vice President
Sandra Jachimowski, Professional Member
Elvis Amadi, Professional Member
Kathy Sherwin, Public Member, Secretary
Ethel Loesche, Public Member

MEMBERS ABSENT

Frank Beebe, Public Member

DIVISION STAFF/DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL/COURT REPORTER

Eileen Kelly, Deputy Attorney General
Jessica Mason, Administrative Specialist III

OTHERS PRESENT

Zoe Plerhoples, Department of Justice
Aimee Moulder
Dustyn Thompson, LMT – AMTA
Theresa Meyer

CALL TO ORDER

Ms.DiFonzo called the meeting to order at 1:30 pm.

REVIEW OF MINUTES

A motion was made Mr. Amadi, seconded by Ms. Jachimowski to approve the January 17, 2019 and February 21, 2019 meeting minutes. The motion carried unanimously.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Request for CE Extension – Khalil Abdul-Majid

Ms. DiFonzo recused herself from participation in the matter. After reviewing documentation and deliberating, the Board agreed to approve extension until April 15, 2019. A motion was made Ms. Sherwin, seconded by Mr. Jachimowski to approve the CE extension until the April 15, 2019. The motion carried unanimously.

Review of Waiver-Theresa Meyer

The Board reviewed documentation provided by Ms. Meyer, and allowed her to speak in regards to the matter. After deliberating, the Board agreed to grant the waiver. A motion was made Ms. Sherwin, and seconded by Ms. Jachimowski to approve the waiver request for Person-in-Charge. The motion carried unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS

Ratification List

A motion was made by Mr. Cannon, seconded by Ms. Jachimowski, to approve the ratification of the following applications:

MC-0004861	Alexandria Eckenrod	Certified Massage Technician
MC-0004863	Gilda Bynum	Certified Massage Technician
MC-0004864	Lan Xu	Certified Massage Technician
MC-0004866	Xia Hu	Certified Massage Technician
MC-0004867	Xueli Xu	Certified Massage Technician
MC-0004869	Win Yoe	Certified Massage Technician
MC-0004870	Carla Reeves	Certified Massage Technician
MC-T000129	Shuhong Meng	Temporary Massage Technician
MT-0004862	Lillian Kim	Licensed Massage Therapist
MT-0004865	Molly Wells	Licensed Massage Therapist
MT-0004868	William Martin	Licensed Massage Therapist

The motion carried unanimously.

Review of Applications

None

Continuing Education -

None

Review & Consideration of Hearing Officer Recommendations

Ms. DiFonzo and Mr. Cannon recused themselves from participating in deliberations.

Christopher Dorman was not in attendance.

Zoe Plerhoples, Deputy Attorney General, spoke before the Board and requested that they consider the Hearing Officer's Recommendation of revocation. DAG Kelly reviewed the violations with the Board. The Board unanimously agreed to the Hearing Officer's Recommendation of revocation. A motion was made Ms. Jachimowski seconded by Ms. Sherwin to revoke the license of Mr. Dorman. The motion carried unanimously.

Miscellaneous Review and Discussion

None

CORRESPONDENCE

None

PUBLIC COMMENT

Dustyn Thompson spoke to the Board as the Government Relations Chair for AMTA. He spoke about a House Bill that is being proposed in regards to Massage licensure and the Board's ability to consider prior convictions during a given timeframe.

NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING

The next meeting is scheduled for April 18, 2019 at 1:30 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business before the Board, a motion was made by Ms. Sherwin, seconded by Mr. Amadi, to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried unanimously. The meeting went off record and adjourned at 2:35 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'J. Mason', followed by a horizontal line extending to the right.

Jessica Mason
Administrative Specialist III